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Ladies Patent Leather Shoe
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We handle the best shoes that money can buy. We remember economy when selling them.



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The Crittenden Record-Press

N. E. CALMES Editor and Publisher.

Entered as second-class matter February 28, 1907 at the postoffice at Marion, Kentucky, under the Act of Congress of March 3, 1879.

One Dollar the Year in Advance.

CASH ADVERTISING RATES:
50c per inch S. C. to Foreign Advertisers.
25c per inch S. C. to Home Advertisers.
Repeated ads one-half rate.
Metal boxes only used for Plates and Electros.
Locals 50c per line.
Lords 10c Per line in twelve point type.

The Record-Press goes to its many readers this week for the last time in the good old year of 1909.

We took charge of the plant on July 15th, of the present year and for nearly six months, have been doing our best to make a paper that would please the people. To our knowledge we have declined the publication of but one article, and that because we could not read it. For several reasons, temporarily, unavoidable by us, the paper has not been what we intend to make it. But commencing the first week in January, we will send out the Record-Press wonderfully improved—the best and cleanest printed county newspaper in the State. The improvements added and being added will warrant this.

We are pleased with people of Marion and Crittenden county and count ourselves fortunate in casting our lot with them; and the many courtesies extended to us, at their hands, makes us to feel they are pleased with us. At least it is flattering to know we have lost but fifteen subscribers and gained two hundred fifty.

If our readers will notice, the Record-Press is different from many other papers in, that every thing in it is original. It uses no plate or patent matter, and is as careful of the interests of the people of Marion and Crittenden county as our knowledge of their resources and thrift will permit.

Commencing with the New Year we ask contributions of a strictly news character from every town and neighborhood in the county and adjoining counties for that matter. So far all news notes have escaped the waste basket. These letters make the news and we shall always be glad to get them. But mind, try to get

them to us on time—Say Monday or Tuesday, else they may be compelled to lay over for another week. We are anxious to make the paper what you want it, a splendid county newspaper and if you send us the news and help us with your subscription we can easily do this.

To the many who have been loyal and liberal in advertising, we will say we fully appreciate all they have done and have their word that we have more than filled every promise. Now in conclusion we will say: The old year, with all we have been blessed with or suffered, is dying any the time of good cheer so close at hand that we should lay aside every thing calculated to keep us from being what Christ would have us be on this blessed day of His advent into the world, and lock hands so firmly to fight the battles of the New Year that all hell can't break our grip.

All last week and this, despite the cold weather, the streets of Marion have been full of people from all parts of Crittenden as well as other counties busily buying Christmas goods and our merchants have been kept busy waiting on them. Most of our merchants have had an unusually large trade, and especially those who advertised their goods. To make trade better, the farmers have been bringing in quite a large per cent of their tobacco crop causing several thousand dollar to be put in circulation.

Surely the children in the various Sunday Schools in Marion have the spirit of giving all right. In the M. E. Sunday School on last Sunday, from a total of 130 scholars the collections were \$12.50, a little less than a ten cent average. Mrs. H. K. Woods' class of twenty-one little tots contributed \$2.11. And the Methodist are in no wise different from the other Schools. There is no lack of the spirit of giving among the children and their parents in Marion.

The Webster County Times, a live newspaper, edited by Vernon Oakley, and published at the growing town

of Clay, came to us this week in a beautiful holiday cover with twenty pages as neat and trim as Collier's Weekly. There were three full page, twelve half page and sixteen quarter page ads, to say nothing about the smaller ones. This shows plainly why the town of Clay is growing. Such a paper with so great a number of ads speaks volumes for the town.

One reason why the people are sending so much money to the mail order houses, is because the mail order houses advertise. This is undisputable proof that advertising pays.

There is yet no news of little Alma Kellner. Every track has seemingly been covered by the kidnapers.

The penalty for kidnaping will not stop until a few of the scoundrels are hung. As it is, no man's child is safe.

If every smoker would refuse to buy a cigar with a band on it, the bands would soon be left off. They are a nuisance.

When Uncle Sam wants to recruit his army he advertises the fact and gets what he wants.

HERE AND THERE.

We are having some North Pole weather.

Young Elzie Elder died in Morgansfield Thursday and was buried in Chapel Hill cemetery, in this county, Friday. He was a son of Charles Elder, of the above city, and a nephew of J. C. Elder, of Marion.

J. A. Thomason, who lived in the eastern part of the county, passed away Thursday and was buried at Piney Fork Friday.

Tobacco is moving off at a good price and the man who has a good crop of the weed is "in the swim."

A recent bulletin issued by the Superintendent of Public Instruction says that only 30 per cent of the children of the state are enrolled in the schools. About the biggest thing connected with the educational

affairs in Kentucky is the taxes. We are looking forward to the next legislature for a remedy.

We notice Jas. A. Patten, the price maker on wheat, is now trying to get a corner on cotton. So with cotton goods advancing, biscuits "out of sight," meat—the meat hungry citizen, we fear, will be forced to swear off—bacon 18 to 30 cents, meal 80 cents, all the necessities of life advancing, but wages remain in the same notch. We have in the county an "Equity" society—why not get down to business and equalize things?

Moving, "running to and fro," is now the order of the day and wagons loaded to their utmost capacity with household goods, augmented by much human freight in various sized packages and styles of beauty, can be seen in every section, rolling on toward their new destination.

Christmas is coming and the wee boy and girl are looking forward with great anticipation to the time in which "Old Kris" will come over the house-top with his sled and reindeer and "scutes" down the chimney and fills their little stockings with all kinds of nice things. Let us not disappoint them or disillusion their innocent minds. Let them have all the enjoyment of childhood. We can recall the days of our own childhood and, as we write, the lines of the poet—memorized in our school days—come to us:

"Backward, turn backward, O time, in your flight,
Make me a child again, just for to night!"

For Rabbit and Poultry Fences or the next thirty days go to Olive & Walker. They are over stocked and during this time you will get bargains.

BYCUSBURG.

We need a bank and will have one soon—if you don't watch out!

Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Cooksey spent three days in Paducah this week.

The merchants of this place are enjoying a good trade.

C. K. Smith, of Clarksville, is paying out lots of money at this place for tobacco.

Just watch us, we will have a new tobacco house next year.

Mrs. Emma Owen is very sick with pneumonia.

YOUNG GIRLS ARE VICTIMS

of headach, as well as older women but all get quick relief and prompt cure from Dr. King's New Life Pills, the world's best remedy for sick and nervous headaches. They make pure blood, and strong nerves and build up your health. Try them. 25 cents at Jas. H. Orme's and Haynes & Taylor's

Harry Reid Knows.

Haynes & Taylor, the druggists, does not guarantee Parisian Sage to grow hair on every bald head, but if there is any life left in the roots of hair, Parisian Sage will stimulate the hair bulbs and cause your hair to grow again. Here is one case. "I am now using the second bottle of your Parisian Sage, and can notice a new crop of hair appearing. I am glad to say it is a darker color than my hair was before I became bald." Harry Reid, 10 Manhattan St., Rochester, N. Y.

Don't wait till you're bald before using Parisian Sage, use it now. Kill the dandruff germ and prevent baldness. Haynes & Taylor, the druggists, sells Parisian Sage at 50 cents a large bottle, and they guarantee it to cure dandruff, stop falling hair, and cure all diseases of the scalp, or money back. Parisian Sage is a delightfully invigorating hair dressing; it makes the hair soft, fluffy and beautiful.

Report of James F. Price.

I have attended four presbyterial meetings, the meeting of Synod, the Bible Conference at Lebanon, Tenn., the State Sunday School convention

at Owensboro, Ky., and four meetings of the Synodical Executive Committee at Louisville. My meetings have been at the weaker churches, but the Lord has blessed these feeble efforts in the refreshing of many hearts. To God be all the praise.

REPORT OF JAMES F. PRICE, PASTOR EVANGELIST.

No. of miles traveled	7808
" sermons preached	288
" lectures delivered	53
" churches visited	54
" professions	271
" additions	128
" personal visits	431
" letters written	1689
" books read	50

Christmas Tree at Presbyterian Church.

There will be a Christmas tree at the Northern Presbyterian church Friday night at 6:30.

Christmas Tree at Methodist Church.

There will be a Christmas tree at the Methodist church Friday night at 7 o'clock.

A Card.

Having sold my stock of groceries and confections to McMurray & Griesom, I desire to thank the people for the liberal patronage given me in the past, and as I will be retained by the new firm as clerk, I shall be glad to welcome every one of them in the new store in the I. O. O. F building just below the W. O. Tucker Furniture Store. Wishing one and all a merry Christmas. I am yours truly,
D. J. HUBBARD.

Holiday Rates

Interstate Christmas Holiday Rates, one and one third fare plus 25 cents for the round trip, tickets on sale only on dates Dec. 17, 18, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 31 and Jan. 1, return limit, January 6, 1910. Minimum Fare one Dollar.

Yours Truly,
W. L. VENNOR, Agt.